

Arlington's Strong Neighborhood Initiative

Neighborhood Academy Service Project



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Getting Engaged

That's Me!!!!

- **My Involvement with ANSI**

- Met with RJ Blair in June 2006
- Attended Neighborhood Summit November 2006
- Attended Neighborhood Academy Leadership Tract Feb/March 2007



Making an Impact

- **Arlington Corporate Citizen's Handbook**

- Origin
- Process
- Challenges



RANGERS in the Community

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REINVIGORATING NEIGHBORHOODS



Local Corporate Citizens Information
Handbook

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Sustaining Momentum



**That's Me
Again !!!!**



- **Recommendations for Neighborhood Organizations**

- Find businesses that have something in common with your goals and/or fund-raising activities
- Small/Medium local businesses are also great potential partners
- Go beyond only submitting applications

Sustaining Momentum



- **Recommendations for the City of Arlington**
 - Encourage companies who do business with the city to become engaged
 - Consider a joint education session as part of an existing Chamber of Commerce activity (i.e. Leadership Institute)

Thank You!

